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PEELER LOGS, VENEERS AND PLYWOODS, JULY 1963

Deliveries, consumption and stocks of peeler logs in July 1963 amounted to 51,109, 53,479 and 131,973 M bd. ft. respectively as compared to 52,451, 53,028 and 109,094 in July 1962 and 55,827, 57,886 and 134,254 reported in June 1963.

Veneers totalled 98,751 M sq. ft. for production, 101,133 for shipments and 79,552 for stocks as against 72,906, 73,638 and 90,187 the corresponding month last year and 103,521, 100,892 and 81,936 in June 1963.

Total production of plywoods was 168,692 M sq. ft., shipments 181,948 and stocks 157,055 as compared to 167,600, 175,801 and 108,118 in July a year ago and 177,706, 181,475 and 170,337 in the past month.

Table 1 gives a comparative summary of deliveries, consumption and stocks of peeler logs, while Table 2 gives details of veneer production, shipments and stocks. Particulars of plywood are given in Table 3.

TABLE 1. Peeler Logs

		Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month	Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month
thousand feet board measure							
Domestic softwoods:		Douglas fir			Hemlock, spruce and other		
July	1963	38,292	35,498	88,875	6,280	7,978	10,954
July	1962	40,758	38,464	66,119	3,763	4,105	11,729
June	1963	42,150	37,726	86,382	7,355	8,760	12,473
June	1962	39,685	39,214	63,784	2,767	4,863	12,041
7 months,	1963	289,612	272,105	88,875	55,835	55,895	10,954
7 months,	1962	263,144	267,760	66,119	41,900	34,687	11,729
Domestic hardwoods:		Birch (yellow and white)			Maple		
High density:							
July	1963	3,283	5,496	21,386	206	455	2,052
July	1962	4,694	5,444	20,066	358	312	1,461
June	1963	4,568	6,526	23,571	428	641	2,248
June	1962	4,521	6,533	20,817	391	552	1,415
7 months,	1963	57,251	46,273	21,386	5,278	4,598	2,052
7 months,	1962	53,179	43,350	20,066	2,948	2,903	1,461

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TABLE 1. Peeler Logs - Concluded

		Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month	Delivered to mill	Con- sumption	Stocks at end of month
thousand feet board measure							
Domestic hardwoods:							
High density:		Elm			Other(1)		
July	1963	178	176	1,184	40	110	1,317
July	1962	150	216	1,217	108	81	1,157
June	1963	210	260	1,180	37	112	1,377
June	1962	248	213	1,291	70	99	1,154
7 months,	1963	1,495	1,463	1,184	1,177	768	1,317
7 months,	1962	1,692	1,365	1,217	1,032	670	1,157
Low density:		Poplar (incl. aspen & cottonwood)			Basswood		
July	1963	2,663	3,540	4,666	55	100	1,034
July	1962	2,311	4,042	6,521	139	230	439
June	1963	844	3,434	5,418	95	292	1,086
June	1962	2,275	4,414	9,050	106	156	530
7 months,	1963	28,439	26,837	4,666	1,845	1,312	1,034
7 months,	1962	28,414	29,788	6,521	2,196	2,071	439
		Other			Imported woods: Mahogany, oak, walnut, etc.		
July	1963	-	-	-	112	126	505
July	1962	-	-	57	170	134	328
June	1963	-	-	-	140	135	519
June	1962	25	-	57	96	184	293
7 months,	1963	2	6	-	1,192	970	505
7 months,	1962	47	80	57	1,097	1,127	328

TABLE 2. Veneers for Sale as Such

		Not over 1/20" thick			Over 1/20" thick				
		Produc- tion	Shipments Domestic Export	Stocks end of month	Produc- tion	Shipments Domestic Export	Stocks end of month		
thousand square feet									
Domestic Softwoods:		Douglas fir							
July	1963	-	-	-	2,797	2,797	-	-	
July	1962	-	-	-	4,159	4,037	-	617	
June	1963	-	-	-	1,171	1,171	-	-	
June	1962	-	-	-	1,772	1,772	-	495	
7 months,	1963	-	-	-	20,648	20,336	312	-	
7 months,	1962	-	-	-	10,450	10,277	115	617	
		Hemlock, spruce & other							
July	1963	390	390	-	17,541	1,643	15,696	2,561	
July	1962	438	438	-	5,613	1,897	3,934	6,815	
June	1963	829	769	60	14,017	4,474	10,206	2,359	
June	1962	1,039	941	98	10,897	4,422	8,650	7,033	
7 months,	1963	5,643	3,952	1,691	91,939	21,066	73,676	2,561	
7 months,	1962	5,800	4,120	1,680	52,343	13,890	36,388	6,815	

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TABLE 2. Veneers for Sale as Such - Concluded

		Not over 1/20" thick			Over 1/20" thick				
		Produc- tion	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Produc- tion	Shipments		Stocks end of month
			Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export	
thousand square feet									
<u>Domestic hardwoods:</u>									
<u>High density:</u>									
Birch (yellow and white)									
July	1963	64,024	22,602	43,589	56,951	5,185	4,889	1,218	645
July	1962	49,990	15,987	34,194	64,233	3,938	3,253	1,443	1,297
June	1963	72,457	21,875	47,711	59,117	5,079	3,809	1,249	1,567
June	1962	67,933	21,145	44,571	64,424	3,967	2,595	1,386	2,055
7 months,	1963	509,912	180,305	326,781	56,951	37,070	28,093	9,223	645
7 months,	1962	423,050	125,263	303,472	64,233	28,631	20,401	8,264	1,297
Maple									
July	1963	1,175	259	1,043	2,523	870	502	390	83
July	1962	672	609	1,195	2,063	1,332	707	651	127
June	1963	1,643	336	929	2,653	1,081	562	522	105
June	1962	2,114	982	598	3,195	1,272	506	840	153
7 months,	1963	13,985	3,970	9,131	2,523	9,571	4,536	5,027	83
7 months,	1962	6,664	2,747	3,331	2,063	8,782	4,247	4,502	127
Other(2)									
July	1963	974	431	313	837	448	414	-	44
July	1962	850	833	-	1,283	179	184	-	17
June	1963	859	468	654	607	321	322	-	10
June	1962	499	62	251	1,266	92	118	-	22
7 months,	1963	4,533	2,620	1,991	837	2,047	2,048	-	44
7 months,	1962	3,922	2,457	1,025	1,283	1,493	1,545	3	17
Poplar (incl. aspen & cottonwood)									
July	1963	506	126	-	699	642	632	-	371
July	1962	94	62	-	124	697	761	-	672
June	1963	85	137	-	319	621	517	-	361
June	1962	14	3	-	92	1,334	1,306	-	749
7 months,	1963	813	672	-	699	3,985	4,741	-	371
7 months,	1962	308	390	-	124	6,984	6,395	-	672
Basswood & other									
July	1963	309	478	-	339	275	362	-	62
July	1962	624	544	-	327	241	222	-	136
June	1963	848	688	-	508	969	1,021	-	149
June	1962	119	279	-	247	133	127	-	117
7 months,	1963	3,839	3,697	-	339	3,030	3,180	-	62
7 months,	1962	2,487	2,332	-	327	1,609	1,562	-	136
Mahogany, oak, walnut, etc.									
July	1963	3,615	1,775	1,584	14,437	-	-	-	-
July	1962	4,079	1,629	1,058	12,476	-	-	-	-
June	1963	3,541	1,634	1,778	14,181	-	-	-	-
June	1962	3,523	1,724	587	11,084	-	-	-	-
7 months,	1963	27,082	14,514	11,629	14,437	-	-	-	-
7 months,	1962	24,170	16,213	6,414	12,476	4	4	-	-

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TABLE 3. Plywoods for Sale as Such

	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	Production	Shipments		Stocks end of month	
		Domestic	Export			Domestic	Export		
(thousand square feet 1/4" thickness basis) (classified by the type of wood on the best face)									
Domestic softwoods:		Douglas fir				Hemlock, spruce & other			
July 1963	135,078	122,012	21,925	126,591	12,238	14,340	762	7,973	
July 1962	136,707	120,568	20,961	80,425	5,692	8,627	689	4,951	
June 1963	140,047	119,225	22,602	136,681	14,175	14,046	715	10,842	
June 1962	141,928	130,241	24,335	85,258	8,772	8,748	654	8,575	
7 months, 1963	1,005,614	817,598	134,779	126,591	90,199	84,893	5,133	7,973	
7 months, 1962	962,023	834,029	116,691	80,425	54,672	53,296	2,634	4,951	
Domestic hardwoods:		Birch (yellow & white)				Other(3)			
High density:									
July 1963	8,042	5,484	2,991	12,498	171	150	24	350	
July 1962	8,973	6,727	2,793	9,176	229	242	5	211	
June 1963	8,793	6,344	3,176	12,898	301	260	-	353	
June 1962	9,390	7,181	2,258	9,723	288	317	-	229	
7 months, 1963	65,264	45,252	19,968	12,498	1,490	1,181	126	350	
7 months, 1962	63,787	43,766	19,168	9,176	2,085	2,042	94	211	
Domestic hardwoods:		Poplar				Basswood & other			
Low density:		(incl. aspen & cottonwood)							
July 1963	10,932	11,745	309	6,913	49	45	-	70	
July 1962	14,021	13,311	-	11,038	47	49	3	88	
June 1963	12,106	12,625	160	6,860	64	67	-	66	
June 1962	15,061	15,790	16	10,364	101	107	-	93	
7 months, 1963	93,220	95,397	1,248	6,913	554	542	-	70	
7 months, 1962	91,550	93,143	16	11,038	536	550	3	88	
Imported woods:		Mahogany				Oak			
July 1963	572	486	21	2,059	197	204	-	209	
July 1962	697	597	5	1,690	91	83	-	312	
June 1963	461	418	-	1,992	253	271	-	216	
June 1962	663	662	-	1,595	119	118	-	304	
7 months, 1963	3,912	3,559	122	2,059	1,783	1,736	30	209	
7 months, 1962	4,762	4,299	43	1,690	1,034	928	57	312	
		Walnut				Other			
July 1963	912	929	15	272	501	503	3	120	
July 1962	835	827	4	146	308	308	2	81	
June 1963	927	964	25	304	579	577	-	125	
June 1962	887	881	6	142	268	257	-	83	
7 months, 1963	6,406	6,265	75	272	3,223	3,180	38	120	
7 months, 1962	5,383	5,364	40	146	2,447	2,359	57	81	

- (1) Includes ash, beech, cherry, oak, walnut, etc.
- (2) Includes ash, elm, beech, cherry, oak, walnut, etc.
- (3) Includes maple, ash, elm, beech, cherry, oak, walnut, etc.